HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 624
By Naifeh

A RESOLUTION to commend John Shoaf for exemplary service
as a legislative intern.

WHEREAS, each legislative session this body is pleased to recognize certain persons

who have committed themselves, through their adroit service, to the betterment of the legislative

process; and

WHEREAS, John Shoaf is one such individual who has distinguished himself in his role

as a legislative intern for Jimmy Naifeh, Speaker of the House of Representatives; his work has

resulted in innumerable benefits for the legislators he assisted and the General Assembly as a

whole; and

WHEREAS, a native of Brighton and a fine member of a well-known family in West

Tennessee, Mr. Shoaf is the son of proud parents Charlotte and George Robert Shoaf; he has

one sister, Anna Kathryn; and

WHEREAS, a student at the University of Memphis, where he is highly regarded by his

peers, he has achieved academic success while majoring in Political Science and participating

in numerous extracurricular activities; and

WHEREAS, eager to familiarize himself with the characteristics and complexity of

Tennessee state government and to further his studies, Mr. Shoaf brought his many abilities

and singular expertise to Capitol Hill for the 2003 session of the One Hundred Third General Assembly; and

WHEREAS, throughout the 2003 legislative session, he has surpassed all criteria that define a devoted and conscientious legislative intern; and

WHEREAS, John Shoaf has performed his many duties with extraordinary insight and rare decorum, and he should be specially recognized; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, that we hereby commend John Shoaf for outstanding service as a legislative intern for Jimmy Naifeh, Speaker of the House of Representatives, and extend to him our best wishes for every future success.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.